TROUBLE THREATENED IF ODELL

BLOCKS HIS CANDIDACY.

Dady Went to Warn the Governor-Chairman

and Returned Expressing Confidence

-George R. Sheldon Promises to

Help-Candidate Visits Brooklyn.

The Hon. Timothy L. Woodruff holds

the centre of the political stage in Brooklyn

at present, and the Republican hosts of

the borough, who have been harmonized and

solidified under his management, are

keenly interested in his candidacy for the

Gubernatorial nomination. Nor is it any

exaggeration to say that friendly interest

this crisis in his political career is also shared

by Democrats of high and low degree

It seems to be the prevailing sentiment

party lines, that all things considered

Mr. Woodruff is most entitled to the honor

of leading the Republican State ticket,

and that he can only be set aside by the

is a remarkable consensus of opinion in

Brooklyn that Mr. Woodruff is the strong-

est and most available candidate now in

for the supposed secret antagonism of Odell.

the convention as an open and fair field

for the candidates, unaffected by the power-

ful interference of the State organization.

If Mr. Woodruff's wishes alone had been con

sulted the emphatic indorsement of his

candidacy made a few evenings ago by

These indorsements were insisted upon by

the district leaders in response to the de

mands of their constituents.

the Republican side.

One of them said:

"Mr. Woodruff would have stood ready

to have withdrawn if Root or ex-Gov.

Black had been the organization candi

Republican leader in Brooklyn, yesterday declined to outline at any length what took place at his conference with Odell at the Fifth Avenue Hotel on Wednesday

that he crossed the Bridge for the explicit purpose of notifying the Governor-Chair-man that Mr. Woodruff was the first choice of the well organized Republican forces in Kings county; that a solid and aggressive delegation would be at his back at Sara-toga, and that he was, in the judgment of a vast number of thoughtful Republicans, the strongest candidate who could be named. Furthermore Col. Dady, so it was posi-

Furthermore, Col. Dady, so it was posi-tively asserted, was also to give Odell firmly and distinctly to understand that the

firmly and distinctly to understand that the Brooklyn organization would not tolerate any underhand work on his part, no matter what the consequences might be. When seen yesterday, Col. Dady had only this to say about the Odell conference:

I had a pleasant talk with Gov. Odell and told him what we thought about Mr. Wooden's in Brooklyn and why we were

Woodruff in Brooklyn and why we were supporting him for the nomination. The whole situation was discussed and I came away with the impression that there was

no doubt that the convention would be an

open one and that Mr. Woodruff had an ex-cellent—most excellent—chance to win

the prize."

Col. Dady very likely gave a more detailed account of the confab to his associate Republican managers, all of whom yesterday were more jubilant over the prospect of Mr. Woodruff's nomination than at any

Mr. Woodruff's nomination than at any stage of the game so far.

Mr. Woodruff's presence in Brooklyn for a few hours yesterday had the effect of increasing the confidence of his followers in his success. He dined at the Brooklyn Chib. Presting there by appointment Col.

Club, meeting there by appointment Col. Dady, the Hon. Silas B. Dutcher, Chairman Jacob Brenner of the Republican executive committee, Chairman L. L. Fawcett of the

committee, Chairman L. L. Fawcett of the county committee, Commissioner of Records John L. Neal, William Berri and a few other important Republicans.

On all sides Mr. Woodruff was hailed as the coming candidate, some prominent Democrats who happened to be around at the time joining in the wishes for his success at Saratoga. Mr. Woodruff assured his friends before his return to Manhattan that he had every reason to be pleased over

his friends before his return to Manhattan that he had every reason to be pleased over the situation. He requested Chairmen Brenner and Fawcett and Secretary John E. Smith to impress on the delegates to the convention that they would consult his wishes by going quietly to Saratoga without any fuss or feathers

For himself and a few friends, Mr. Wood-

ruff has secured quarters on the Sunday night Albany boat. The party will reach Saratoga on Monday morning and immedi-

Saratoga on Monday morning and immediately open headquarters at the United States Hotel. A few of the delegates will accompany Mr. Woodruff, the others going by rail on Monday and Tuesday. Woodruff buttons will be in evidence at Saratoga bright and early on Monday morning. About 100,000 of them have been ordered for distribution.

It was learned yesterday that the negotiations for the purchase of Mr. Woodruff's old home at 94 Eighth avenue, on the Park slope, had been called off, and that it will remain as Mr. Woodruff's permanent residence. He will reoccupy it directly after the State convention.

Mr. Woodruff met George R. Sheldon at Sherry's in New York city the other night, and Mr. Sheldon said to Mr. Woodruff:

and Mr. Sheldon said to Mr. Woodruff:

"Tim, I hear you're a candidate for Governor. If you are and I can do anything to help you, say so."

"Bully for you, George," replied Mr. Woodruff. "Go to Saratoga and do everything you can for me, and heap coals of fire on my head." Mr. Woodruff referred to his own attitude against Sheldon in 1902, when Sheldon was a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor.

Sheldon was a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Woodruff said yesterday concerning the "trust ammunition," which Governor-Chairman Odell is using against him, just as Woodruff and Odell used the "trust cry" against Sheldon in 1902:

"The salt company in which I am interested is not in the trust. It is the only independent salt company in the country. The typewriter company in which I am interested is not a trust."

or distribution

both in the McCarren and anti-McCarren

camp.

in their Republican fellow townsman in

RUSSIANS STAND AT MUKDEN.

TWO JAPANESE ARMIES CLOSE IN ON THE TOWN.

St. Petersburg War Office Expects a Great Battle-Troops Being Rushed From Japan to the Front-Assaults on Port Arthur Prove Ineffective.

Special Cable Despatches to THE SUN. BEBLIN, Sept. 8 .- Col. Gaedke, correspondent of the Tageblatt, telegraphing from Mukden under date of to-day, says that the city is still in possession of the

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 8.—The latest news from Gen. Kuropatkin was dated 6:30 P. M. yesterday.

At that time Gen. Kuroki's army was twenty-seven miles east of the railway. Gen. Oku's army was twenty miles west.

The General Staff regards a great battle A news agency despatch says that the army of Gen. Kuropatkin is concentrating

around Mukden, its rear guard stretching seventeen miles to the southward. The rear guard fighting is continuous. Tokio, Sept. 8 .- Evidence of the severity of the recent fighting in front of Liaoyang

is furnished in the fact that one regiment of Gen. Nodzu's army lost all of its higher One company lost all its officers and a private had to take command of his fifteen

surviving comrades. Private Yasawa's uniform was pierced by eight bullets and his cap by one. Bul-

lets broke his rifle in three places and his bayonet in two. The Nichi Nichi admits that the Russians

are retreating skilfully and that if they receive reenforcements they will be able to make another stand. It urges renewed preparations for a prolongation of the war. Reports from Salgon and Shanghai agree

that the Japanese have occupied Yentai. BERLIN, Sept. 8 .- A Chefoo despatch to the Lokal Anzeiger says that since Sept. 1 all private railway traffic in Japan has been interrupted to enable the lines to carry 40,000 men to Kobe, Sasebo, Hiroshima and Shimonoseki. It is reported that these troops are going to Vladivostok, but it is equally probable that they are destined for Port Arthur and Manchuria.

A report that the Russian army in Man churia is to be reorganized, increased by two army corps and divided into two armies under command of Gen. Kaultars and Gen. Linevitch is taken here to mean that Gen. Kuropatkin is to be superseded before long, although the announcement adds that he will remain as Commander-in-

LONDON, Sept. 9 .- Yesterday's reports from St. Petersburg contain all that is known of the situation at Mukden. None of the despatches reported to have been received from Gen. Kuropatkin has been issued by the Russian authorities. The report from Paris that a battle had begun not confirmed.

The Japanese officials are silent respecting the operations, but the Standard's Tokio correspondent says he is informed from a trustworthy source that Gen. Kuroki's operations against the retreating Russians are being successful, and that he is greatly harassing the enemy.

The reports from Chefoo, if reliable show that the present operations at Port Arthur are confined to attacks on single forts, apparently with the object of weary ing the defenders by compelling incessant watchfulness. So far as can be judged from the scenty news of the last few days. the besiegers are not making very rapid

RUMOR OF KUROKI'S DEATH Received in St. Petersburg, but Ne Faith Is Attached to It.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Sept. 8 .- A despatch to the TRIED TO BLOW UP THE NOVIK. Central News from St. Petersburg says that a rumor comes from Mukden that Gen. Kuroki has been killed. The rumor is not credited.

LONDON, Sept. 9 .- A despatch to the Morning Leader from Tientsin says it is reported in Newchwang that Gen. Kuropatkin was severely wounded at Liaoyang.

DIED RATHER THAN SURRENDER. Remarkable Valer of Troops on Both Sides at the Liaoyang Battle.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 8.-In the course of a description of the fighting around

Liaoyang M. Dantchenko, the well known Russian correspondent, draws some vivid pictures confirming the stubborn valor displayed by both sides. The Russians at one time pursued two Japanese battalions through the millet fields to Saitza and surrounded them. A desperate fight

The Japanese refused to accept quarter preferring death to surrender. The Russians would have liked to spare them, but there was no alternative in the circumstances but to kill them all.

In another part of the field the Japanese reached a trench which had been abandoned by the Russians. Another Japanese force, believing that the trench was held by the enemy, shelled the position and then captured it by assault. On reaching the trench and realizing that they had killed their own comrades they fell on the prostrate bodies in the trench and covered

The Russian frontier guards remained at their posts and died refusing to surrender. It was the anniversary of the creation of their regiment, and in spite of constant alarms they had spent the previous night celebrating the event singing military songs, as is the custom of Russian troops The regiment lost a large number of officers. At many points the Russians and Japanese threw stones at one another.

The Russians have lately learned to mask their batteries more effectually and to con centrate their fire better. Thus they have gained a sensible advantage over the Japanese, especially now that they have new quick firing guns. The Russian soldiers worship their guns, and they quote the words of Gen Kuropatkin, who said to them: Soldiers, die for your guns as you would

Remarking upon the numerical superiority of the Japanese, M. Dantchenko says that this is astounding and incomprehensible. They have lost enough men at Port Arthur and elsewhere to form an army. Nevertheless their effective strength seems only to increase. They are still concentrating fresh troops at the Liao River.

BATTERING AT PORT ARTHUR. Jap Attacks Renewed-Russian Repor

of 700 Besiegers Killed. Special Cable Despatches to TRE SUN. LONDON, Sept. 9 .- The Chefoo correspondent of the Chronicle says that he has received an absolutely reliable report that the Japanese thrice occupied some forts within mile of Port Arthur, but were driven out by the defenders each time.

Several Japanese Generals, including a divisional commander, have been wounded. Ammunition is being smuggled into Port Arthur daily. The Japanese Intelligence Department is unable to trace whence these supplies come. Six junks left the neighborhood of Tsingtau last Wednesday night bound for Port Arthur. They were laden with meat and flour. Japanese spies warned the fleet of the departure of the junks.

Owing to the gallantry of the defence some Japanese believe that the fortress will hold out for another month, and perhaps for two months.

The Tokio correspondent of the Times says that non-official news suggests that the garrison at Port Arthur is much disheartened. The ships in the harbor have ceased to oppose seriously the approach of Japanese reconnoitring vessels, which have thus been enabled to ascertain that the battleship Sevastopol is crippled, while the other warships are more or less damaged. The number of soldiers surrendering in creases.

Several junks laden with provisions and ammunition from Chefoo were captured on Sept. 2. Eight junks, carrying 300 non-combatants from Port Arthur, were also captured on the same day. These were sent to Dalny.

It is noticeable that the Russians have now ceased mine clearing operations, which they have hitherto carried on as-The inference is that they have siduously. abandoned hope that the remnant of the fleet can escape.

CHEFOO, Sept. 8.—Chinese report severe fighting on Sept. 3, the Japanese attacking the Russian east and west flanks at Port Arthur simultaneously. The Russians allowed the assailants to approach close to them and then fired volleys with terrible effect. The fighting continued for three hours. It included a cavalry action.

According to the Novi Krai. Admiral Alexieff's organ at Port Arthur, a column of 700 Japanese, while marching through a valley near Port Arthur, were blown up by an electric mine. Few of them

escaped. The Chinese say that the Russians are offering a ruble apiece for unexploded shells that were intended for use in the Chinese-Japanese War. This is taken to indicate that the Russians are short of

Japanese from Dalny predict that Port Arthur will be attacked on Saturday. PARIS, Sept. 8.-A private message has reached the Journal from an American attaché, who says that the bombardment of Port Arthur continues with singular regularity, from 6 A. M. till noon and from

2 P. M. till 7 P. M. each day. Toxio, Sept. 8.-The Russian batteries at Port Arthur are not doing any more firing, and the Japanese reconnoitre freely without molestation.

The battleship Sevastopol is in a sinking condition, and four others are seriously damaged.

The number of Russian deserters creasing; provisions are short with the Russians, and signs of depression among the garrison are manifest. The buildings, docks, arsenal and streets

have been destroyed. Three hundred noncombatants who attempted to escape on Sept. 2 were captured by the Japanese and sent to Dalny. Several junks loaded with provisions and ammunition from Chefoo also have

fallen into the hands of the Japanese. The water supply of Dalny was cut off by a Chinaman, who was arrested and shot

FIRING OFF WEI-HAI-WEI. Ships Cease When British Vessel Comes Into Sight.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN WEI-HAI-WEI, Sept. 8 .- A British ship that was sent to investigate the firing heard at sea Wednesday night reports that she saw seven vessels firing. They ceased when they sighted the British vessel and steamed off. The investigator assumed that they were taking pot shots at junks.

Japanese Attempt to Destroy the Wreck of the Russian Cruiser.

Special Cable Despatches to THE SUN St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.-Lieut.-Gen. Lyapounoff, commanding the troops at Korsakovsk (Korsakoff), Saghalien, reports under date of yesterday as follows:

"Our lookout stations reporting two columns of smoke approaching yesterday morning, our detachment took its position. The steamers anchored within eight kilometres of Korsakovsk station, when they were recognized as Japanese transports. Two steam pinnaces put off from them and approached the cruiser Novik, upon the bridge of which Japanese sailors were subsequently seen.

"(nir detachment fired on the boats and on the Novik's deck. The Japanese were thus prevented from effecting their purpose, and after a few volleys they left the Novik and returned to the transports, pursued by our fire. The boats' crews replied harmlessly.

"The transports reembarked the boats and proceeded to sea. At noon some of our officers visited the Novik. Later they found a Japanese carbine and some electrical conductors connected with mines. The enemy had also placed mines in different parts of the cruiser. Nine of these have been removed thus far."

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The Japanese yesterday bombarded Korsakoff, the port on the island of Saghalien in which the cruiser Novik took refuge after her escape from Port Arthur and where she was destroyed by ships of Admiral Kamimura's squadron Tokio, Sept. 8.—The commander of the Japanese expedition sent to examine the wreck of the Russian cruiser Novik

which was beached in Korsakoff Harbor, Saghalien, after an engagement with the Japanese cruiser Tsushima, on Aug. 20. reports that the vessel is entirely submerged, except a small part of her bows. The water is knee deep in the shallowest places on her upper deck. Her conning tower and upper works are greatly dam-

tained, but it is evidently considerable The vessel has a list of 80 degrees Russian troops fired at the Japanese making the investigation. The latter withdrew unharmed

aged by shell fire. The damage to her

hull below the waterline could not be ascer-

JAPAN RAISING MORE MONEY. Bonds and Savings Debentures for 11,

000,000 Yen Issued by the Government. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Tokio, Sept. 8.-The Government has issued exchequer bonds to the amount of 10,000,000 yen, through the Bank of Japan, maturing in December and January. The banks are eager to subscribe. The Government will also issue savings debentures to the amount of 1,000,000 yen, at 3 per cent., in small amounts. This will be done

next month. The Jiji is opposed to this course. advises raising the interest on postal deposits. It says that the balance of foreign trade was against Japan in 1902 and 1903, due to the need of importing rice. The prospect is that this year normal conditions will be restored, the outflow of specie will be checked and domestic loans



DEVERY AS SOCIAL REFORMER

BECOMES A HIGH LIGHT IN WOMAN'S RESCUE LEAGUE

And Will Make a Special Feature of the Protection End of the Work-Greatly Admires Mrs. Charlotte Smith's Way of Doing Business-White Ribbon on Pump

Devery has come out flatfooted in the cause of social reform. He has joined the Woman's Rescue League, whose object is to reform and protect women, and expects to beat the bass drum. There's a white ribbon on the pump. He has joined the general committee and is going to make a specialty of the protection feature of their work.

The Big Chief got acquainted with Mrs Charlotte Smith, head of the Woman Rescue League, during his campaign for Mayor. He was addressing a meeting in West Fifty-sixth street when Mrs. Smith appeared and asked for a hearing. Bill

"And say, sport, the push acted like gentlemen," said the Big Chief yesterday. "And she spoke up like an all-right little
woman. Me for social reform ever since."
On the letterhead of the league is a statement of its objects. Here are some of them: ment of its objects. Here are some of them:

To assist helpless magdalens, to rescue
girls who desire to be rescued, to district
and protect women who are over 21 years of
age and who desire to continue in the life
they have chosen. If these women are a
necessary evil, they pay the penalty and
must be protected by law.

We demand that the scarlet letter women
be protected and that they shall no longer
be hounded, blackmailed and driven from
pillar to post by politicians, police and those
who are in authority over these helpless
women.

pillar to post by politicians, police and those who are in authority over these helpless women.

If these women are a public menace, we demand that laws on the statute books be enforced and thatmen and women be arrested for abetting immorality and crime by leasing property to keepers of houses of ill repute. We demand that justice be meted out to the poor courtesan and rich prostitute alike.

Mrs. Smith is going to get up a committee of fifteen "reputable" citizens to raise funds and extend the work and it seemed fitting to call on Bill first.

"Am I on?" said Bill. "Am I on?" Well, say! Bill Devery for protection!" That wasn't exactly the way he expressed it to Mrs. Smith though. He called for pen and paper and chartered the dictionary and the big table in headquarters. For eight days there has been respectful silence around the Pump because the big leader was in the throes of literary composition. Yesterday, with his fingers all inky and his tongue badly bitten, he came out of retirement and bought drinks at the Pump.

"A soft one for me" said Bill. "When Bill Devery—joins the reform army he goes the putter.

"A soft one for me " said Bill. "When Bill Devery-joins the reform army he goes the route. But say, I didn't know they was so many words in the language." This is Bill Devery's masterplece as it went to the typewriter yesterday for cor-Mrs. Charlotte Smith:

DEAR MADAM—In reply to yours of recent date, I beg to state that it will afford me much pleasure to cooperate with the Women's Rescue League in any way that I can be of service to the cause of helping unfortunate women.

unfortunate women.

I have more time now than when we discussed this matter and you can count me as one of your board to help you establish auxiliary branches in the city and State.

I have always admired your grit and nerve in handling the difficult problem that makes men and women too cowardly to discuss the subject.

Would that we had more such women in every large city in this country who would do the practical work your organization is doing. This is what I call God's work, and no

doing. This is what I call God's work, and no long winded prayers about it, either.

I will be at the service of the Women's Rescue League as soon as you see fit to command me. I also desire to state that with a board of practical, experienced men, men who will not mince matters but face the issue squarely, much can be accomplished. When you organize your board, I will place in possession of its members facts and unvarnished truths touching on the treatment of down trodden women in this city that will bring shame upon those in authority charged with providing for these unfortunates.

During my vears of experience in the Police Department, I was put into close touch with thousands of cases of helpless and unfortunate women, and I cannot count the number I have personally assisted with money and advice when there was no place for them to go to. It is high time that the hounding and driving of fallen women by the police should stop and practical means adopted to protect them.

them.

I am with you heart and soul in your efforts to assist the helpless Magdalens, to rescue girls who deserve to be rescued and to district and protect women who desire to continue the life they have chosen.

to continue the life they have chosen.

These women are a necessary evil, for which they pay the penalty, and must be protected by society.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I am, very truly yours.

W. S. DEVERY.

So now the People of the Pump, who take their cue from the Big Chief, speak one to another in language that would bring no blush to the most modest cheek. The run on lemonade and other soft drinks

at the bar is tremendous.

"Protection," says Bill. "Say, sport, ain't that grand? Not jute bag Republican protection, but the real night stick article. Ain't that what I always said? Ain't that what I always done? Say, you wait until I get alone with that committee!"

BALTIC FLEET NOT TO GO. Cronstadt Report That Russia Will No Send the Ship to the Far East.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. for the Baltic fleet continue to be announced by the St. Petersburg corres pondents, the latest being Saturday next. The Times's Cronstadt correspondent however, declares that the absurdity of the new fleet attempting to relieve Port Arthur this year is apparently grasped at last and the delusions on the subject dispelled. Russia, he adds, now has no serious ntention of sending the fleet to the Far East.

The Escape of the Diana.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Tokio, Sept. 8 .- A Japanese steamship from Macao reports that the Russian cruiser Diana, which escaped south after the battle between the Russian Port Arthur fleet and that of Admiral Togo on Aug. 10, was supplied with coal and provisions at Kwang-chow before entering the port of Saigon.

Japs Captured 97 Field Guns.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Sept. 8.—The Exchange Telegraph Company received a despatch from Rome to-day stating that the Japanese took at Changkiapusze ninety-seven field guns, mostly in serviceable condition, and 132 wagons loaded with provisions and thirtyeight loaded with ammunition

Died on Short Voyage

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Gregory, 50 years old, of Danbury, Conn., was found dead in her stateroom on the steamship Princess Anne of the Old Dominion Line yesterday morning. She had complained of not feeling well when the boat left Norfolk, Va., Wednesday night. When the vessel arrived at Pier 26, North River, at the request of Mrs. William S. Gregory, daughterip-law of the deceased, the body was removed to an undertaking establishment. in her stateroom on the steamship Princess

COLLEGE MILITARY DRILL. KINGS RISES FOR WOODRUFF. War Department Issues Orders to Pro-

> mote Its Efficiency. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—Orders from the War Department have been received at Girard College and St. Joseph's College directing them to take steps to raise the military efficiency of the students in those institutions. They are duplications of the instructions sent to some ninety colleges in the United States at which a regular army officer is detailed as drill master at the expense of the Government. This is in line with the policy of building

> up a body of citizens competent to bear arms. In both colleges the hours for drill will be increased from two to four a week, and in addition an effort will be made to make the boys skilled marksmen. Instruction will be given in the handling of the rifle, and time will be allowed for practice on the rifle range. Careful reports will be made to Washington and these will be backed up by in-

spections from an officer detailed by the of Brooklynites in general, regardless of Inspector-General. Colleges throughout the country have been given to understand that unless the boys show that they are up to the standard of efficiency the military instructor will be withdrawn. To encourage the boys to put forth their

most selfish display of his power on the part of Governor-Chairman Odell. There best efforts President Roosevelt has indicated his purpose to name as army officers some of the graduates from the civilian military schools. These will have the the field and that there would not be a preference for vacancies after the graduates question of his nomination if it were not from West Point and the officers appointed from the ranks.

Mr. Woodruff himself has not encouraged this criticism of Odell, but has all along DUG UP PRINCE'S GRAVE. given his closest friends and the Republican British in Pretoria Stirred by Attempt managers to understand that he had no doubt that the Governor-Chairman would to Steal His Body. faithfully adhere to his promise to leave

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN PRETORIA, Sept. 8.-While Princess Christian was coming to this city from Cape Town to visit the grave of her son, Prince Christian Victor, who is buried in the Pretaria Cemetery, some unknown persons dug up the grave. They had reached the coffin when, it is

the various Republican Assembly district presumed, they were disturbed. The conventions would have been omitted. vandals fled without the body. The British here are angrily excited over the desecra-Since the conventions were held and a solid LONDON, Sept. 9.-A despatch to the Woodruff delegation of 132 chosen to the Telegraph from Johannesburg says it is

unconfirmably reported that the body Saratoga convention not a night has passed of Prince Victor was removed. The desethat one or more Republican clubs representing the militant members of the party cration is ascribed to the criminals hoping have not taken similar action. It is als to obtain a ransom. well known that several non-political PRINCESS IN VAUDEVILLE. bodies, who for one reason or another feel very friendly disposed toward Mr. De Chimay Booked to Appear in This Woodruff, have shown an interest in his Country at \$1,000 a Week. candidacy. A few days ago the directors According to a press agent's report that of a big trust company, after a business eached this city last night, Princess de session, had a free discussion of the Gov-

Chimay may be doing vaudeville stunts in ernorship question and there was a unanithis country this fall at a salary of \$1,000 mous agreement that Mr. Woodruff was the best selection that could be made on Adolph Marks, a Chicago lawyer, is said to have secured the signature of the Princess A complete and specific understandto a contract as the representative of Ben ing appeared yesterday to have been reached Harris, vaudeville booking agent, of 1440 by Mr. Woodruff's stalwart supporters Broadway. Marks was in Paris a few in Brooklyn that Mr. Woodruff could not weeks ago, according to the story, and be brushed aside by Odell in favor of Higoffered the Princess \$500 a week for a gins, Fish, Taft or any other unknown candiseason of forty weeks. She refused and demanded \$1,000 for the same number of

weeks. Her terms were accepted, and she will be here early in the fall, so the story goes.

The Princess, who was formerly Clara date; but if Odell picks some other man Ward of Detroit, was divorced from the Prince de Chimay after her escapade with he will go into the convention and not only fight, but win out. Odell has now been Rigo, the Hungarian violinist.

Recently she paid \$3,000 to Rigo as the price of her release. Then on Aug. 17 she married Guglielmo Ricardo, an Italian baggage clerk, in London. Rigo was a witness.

he will go into the convention and not only fight, but win out. Odell has now been fully aware of the true situation, so far as Mr. Woodruff is concerned, for several days, and he must know that he risks the fight of his life if he attempts to close the convention in Mr. Woodruff's face. It is my opinion, and I believe I am speaking by the book, when I say that he is not going to take this risk. Woodruff has the votes, and he is going to be nominated."

Col. Michael J. Dady, probably next to Mr. Wodruff himself the most powerful Republican leader in Brooklyn, yesterday Capt. Eber Ward of Detroit, a man of great wealth. When a schoolgirl she was mar-ried to the Prince de Chimay et Curaman, holder of one of Belgium's proudest titles. Four years later she eloped with Rigo.

MOTOR BOAT A WRECK.

Charles Seabury's Speedway Run on Harlem River Piles on Her Trial Trip. Speedway, was wrecked yesterday afternoon on its trial spin. Mr. Seabury is an enthusiast on the subject of motor boats. He has planned several, and some days ago he invited his friends to witness the trial of his newest model. The Speedway was 36 feet over all and was designed to go 30

knots an hour.

Mr. Seabury and one of his mechanics went out in the craft yesterday afternoon. For an hour or more they manœuvred about before beginning the real trial. The boat behaved beautifully. It answered the

boat henaved beautifully. It answered the helm like a cutter yacht and no trouble had been experienced with the engines. As the boat neared the railroad bridge at 157th street, however, something went wrong. Mr. Seabury tried to keep the craft in the stream, but it refused to answer the helm, so he ran it into the piles at the

bridge anchorage.

The boat was a complete wreck. Mr.
Seabury and the mechanic were rescued
by Patrolman Conover of the West 152d
street station and members of the Harlem
Rowing Club, who were out practising. STARVING WOMAN TOLD TRUTH. Belongs to a Wealthy Family Who Have

All Repudiated Her. Tolebo, Ohio, Sept. 8 .-- The woman stenographer found starving a few days ago in one of the parks in New York city rave her proper name when she said it was Harriet Barnes. She also told the truth when she said she had a brother living in Toledo. His name is Charles I. Barnes, and he lives at 2274 Maplewood avenue. He is the seni or member of the big lumber

firm of Barnes & Mock, and is prominent in social as well as in fraternal circles.

Harriet is his younger sister. She was born in Dundee, Mich., a little town twenty miles from here. That was the Barnes home until a few years ago, and the mother of the two lived there all her life, dying in Dundee three or four years ago.

Of the two level there are life in e. gying in Dundee three or four years ago.

Charles Barnes absolutely repudiates any relationship and will not discuss the subject at all. Harriet was pretty, but wilful. She left Dundee some twelve or fifteen years ago and has since that time been practically ostracized by all other members of the family.

Princess Louise in Paris. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Paris, Sept. 8.- M. Noussanne, manager of the Journal, announces that Princes

Louise of Coburg, who recently escaped

from an asylum through the efforts of Lieut. Count Matassich-Neglevitch, is living with the Lieutenant in Paris. No Cut in Steel Billets in Pittsburg. PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 8.-It was announced officially here to-day that, despite the statements from New York, there

is yet no change in the steel billet market and there was no cut. At the meeting to be held in this city to-morrow or Saturday

Named for Congress.

First District, New Hampshire-Joseph Warren. Fifth District, Maryland-Dr. Richard S. Hill Third District, Maryland-Lee S. Meyer, Demo-

Third District, Maryland-Frank C. Wachter Fourth District, Maryland-John Gill, Demo-Fourth District, Maryland-William C. Smith, Fourth District, Missouri-F. B. Fulkerson, Re-

body seems to know

CONKLING AND DOUGLAS BOLT.

TWO DISTRICT FIGHTS TO BE SETTLED AT SARATOGA.

Parsons Wins in the 28th-Quigg in Control in the 19th-Douglas Elects His Contestants in an Undertaker's -Tammany's Conventions Peaceful. Assembly district conventions for the

lection of delegates to the State convenions were held last night by, both the Republican and Democratic parties. The Tammany conventions passed off without a contest in a single district. Each delegation to Saratoga on Sept. 20 will be headed y the leader of the district In the list were few Democrats of great

fame. Both delegates and alternates are men who can be depended upon to support Leader Murphy in any action he may take at the State convention. In the Republican conventions there were two local contests in the Nineteenth

and Twenty-fifth districts, and in each case there was a bolt. The Gilman-Quigg faction had everything their own way in the Nineteenth District convention. When Congressman

William H. Douglas and his supporters saw that they were beaten they bolted and elected a set of rival delegates. Congressman Douglas, the former leader of the Nineteenth, had based his hopes of a victory on Supreme Court Justice Clarke's

decision, as a result of which he believed that he controlled a majority of the votes in the district. Theodore R. Gilman, the present leader, who is supported by Lemuel E. Quigg, made no boasts of what he could do. Before the night's convention had been in session fifteen minutes, however, it was evident that he had the whip hand The Gilman party held all the front seats, and the others stood or sat as they could

find places at the rear. Mr. Quigg, who opened the meeting by reading the order for the convention, was received with tumultuous cheers from the Gilmanites. Robert Mazet was nominated for temporary chairman by Mr. Gilman, and L. Barton Case by Albert H. Harris, one of the Douglas crowd, and the roll was called for a vote. When Ernest R. Limburger responded to his name by voting for Case, Martin Saxe jumped to his feet and called out: "I do not believe the gentleman is Mr.

Limburger." There were cries of "Put him out!" "Arrest Increwere cries or Put nim out: "Arrest him!" Mr. Quigg restored order and cate-chised Mr. Limburger, who stuck to his identity. Saxe then said that he had misunderstood.

During this tilt it looked for a moment as if a fight wasn't very far off. The roll call resulted in 55 out of 90 votes being cast for Mazet and 35 for Case. Fifteen of the Douglas voters had evidetly stayed at home.

Mr. Gilman moved that a vote be taken on the selection of substitutes. Albert H. Harris was on his feet instantly with a motion that each district be allowed to present its candidates for substitute delegates. Chairman Mazet ruled that, according to the rules of the Republican county committee, the substitutes must be selected by the whole convention. He ordered a roll call on Gilman's motion, but when this was started Harris appealed from was started Harris appealed from the decision of the Chair and called for a

the decision of the Chair and called for a roll call on his appeal.

"The roll is now being called and must not be interrupted," said the chairman.

"Then we leave the hall!" shouted Harris.

Fifty Douglas men, none of whom was a delegate, rose and made for the door, while the Gilmanites hissed and yelled. After that the rest of the meeting was purely formal. Mr. Quigg moved that a short history of the bolt be inserted in the minutes, and he dictated the history to the stenographer. A committee, of which delegates, and it was unanimously elected:

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Delegates: Theodore P. Gilman, Lemuel
E. Quigg, John J. Hahn, Charles O. Maas,
Gilchrist Stewart, Charles F. Bostwick,
Charles F. Bruder, Frank H. Platt, Holland
S. Deuel,
Alternates: William N. Hoag, Julius Seymour, George Schrader, Edward A. Sumner,
George Baptist, Thomas McMahon, Richard
Secor, Edward Dillenbeck, Edward H. Fallows.

Meanwhile the bolters, headed by Congressman Douglas, had retired up Broad-way as far as Seventy-fifth street. Here they found a convenient undertaker's shop, and the back room, where funerals

are usually held, was put at their disposal. Mr. Case was made chairman, and he gave everybody a chance to vent off his surplus indignation. Congressman Douglas paid his respects to Mr. Quigg.

"We have had no leader in the Nineteenth for a long time," he said. "Lemuel E. Quigg put up his figureheads and kept in the dark. Now he has had to come out in the open and show his hand. Their victory to-night was a defeat. We know the men who sold us out at the primaries. The voting was done when many of the best men in the district were out of town, weeks before it ought to have been. But we will before it ought to have been. But we will yet beat them two to one, redeem the Nine-teenth and make it a district of uprightness,

teenth and make it a district of uprightness, not of political pollution."

Mr. Limberger, who is a member of the firm of Ladenburg Thalmann & Co., was called onto tell why his vote was challenged.

"Mr. Saxe and Mr. Gilman called me out of my office," said Mr. Limberger, "and asked me for whom I intended to vote. I told them I should vote for the other side. They said it would be just as well if I stayed away. I came, in spite of their suggestion, and Mr. Saxe challenged my vote."

The election of the Douglas faction resulted:

Delegates—William H. Douglas, John S. Wise, H. W. Mack, William P. Roome, L. Barton Case, Samuel W. Patterson, George C. Batchellor, L. M. Stanton, Fred Spiegel-

berg.
Alternates.—John J. Stevenson, Henry A. Wise, J. E. Pyle, Albert Attinger, Leroy D. Ball, Jr., Henry W. Foote, Albert W. Harris, John T. Allen, Herbert E. Rogers. Particular interest attached to the fight in the Twenty-fifth district, because it had been understood that an effort would be made by the followers of Herbert Parsons to make George R. Sheldon one of the delegates. Governor-Chairman Odell has described Mr. Parsons as an "insubordinate"

described Mr. Farsons as an insubordinate and endeavored to defeat him by such influences as could be brought to bear in the district to help Parsons's opponent, Howard Conkling.

There was a big row in the convention, and in the mixup the purpose to bring Mr. Sheldon forward as a means of retaliation on the Governor-Chairman were recipiled. on the Governor-Chairman was not fol-lowed.

In bolting the regular convention the

Conklingites asserted that the Parsons supporters conducted the meeting contrary to the rules. The bolters, about twenty-five in number, held their convention at the Hamilton Club, in West Twenty-sixth street. They named: Delegates—Howard Conkling, John A. Weekes, John N. Deemer, Harry King, A. W. Fitzpatrick, William H. Davis and Fred A. Ware.

The forty Parsons adherents who re-mained named these:

Delegates Herbert Parsons, Thomas J Quinn, Assemblyman Ezra T Prentice, Job E. Hedges, William H. Wadhams, N. H. Scudder and Henry E. O'Brien.

YAKEY YAKE'S BUSY SISTER. Hit a Neighbor Twice in One Day and Laid Him Up for Repairs.

Mary Longan, 28 years old, of 311 Water street, is a sister of Yakey Yake, the notorlous

street, is a sister of Yakey Yake, the notorious tough who died last week in Jersey City. Yesterday morning she hit William Crosland, 65 years old, a butcher, who lives in the same house, with a stove poker and fractured his left forearm.

Last night the two met again and she inflicted a scalp wound on Crosland with the same poker. He was treated by a surgeon from the Hudson street hospital and Mary was locked up in the Oak street station. Just what their quarrel was about no-

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ular price per yard, \$1.15; 871c John & James Dobson, = 14 \$ St. and 5 t Qve =

LIVE TOPICS ABOUT TOWN.

"He doesn't look it, but he is making some thing like \$10,000 a year." said the receiving teller in an upper Broadway bank the other day, pointing to a fat, untidy Italian who was shambling out of the door. "He keeps a French-Italian pension in Fortieth street that is a veritable gold mine. We transmit for him to a Genoa bank an average of \$7,500 every year, and that's been age of \$7,500 every year, and that's been going on for four years. When he gets a bunch of something like 50,000 American dollars he will go back to Italy and become a landed proprietor, the dream of every immigrant who comes from the big boot. "How do they do it? Well, in the first place, there is not one of those Italian table d'hôte and boarding houses that are so thick in the Tenderloin that pay a cent for liquor licenses. Then they sell a very bad

liquor licenses. Then they sell a very bad quality of whiskey and the cheapest beer in the market and oceans of California wine that they buy at 10 cents a quart and sell for 25 as Italian claret. People in search of that intangible thing known as 'Bohemia,' flock to these places summer and winter, and drink the stuff with relish because it's Bohemian, don't you know? One of the show sights in The Bronz zoo these days is the polar bears' bath. To keep them cool, they have a big pool in their den and the male of the pair takes as many as fifty swims a day. He dives in head first with his paws extended, just like a small boy from an Fast Side pier. He stays under for a full mipute. When he

comes up he shakes the wet out of his eyes. sits up against the stone bank with the water up to his hairy breast and scratches his back with great grunts of pure contentment. Two or three turns around the tank, and he is ready to crawl out and dry off for a few minutes. His mate doesn't go in so often, but if she tries it while her lord is bathing, there is a row in the family. "The Golden Bowl," Henry James's new novel, will be published in October by Charles Scribner's Sons, not by Harper & Bros., as was stated at the time Mr. James returned from abroad. The

theme of this novel is the American abroad, always a favorite with Mr. James, but the book has an element of pathos new to his up Miss Elizabeth G. Jordan, editor of Harper's Bazar and author of "Tales of Destiny" and "Tales of the Cloister," with Mrs. Kate Jordan Vermilye of Baltimore, who has just obtained a divorce. It isn't this mix-up which galls the Harpers so much as the statement made in the same article that "Mrs. Vermilye has contributed

their contributors. BOMB ON BROADWAY.

Wouldn't Go Off or On, So Cop Took Him to the Tenderlein Station.

A man who said he was Frank Donohue of 147 East Twenty-third street jumped before a Broadway car in front of the Hoff-

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DIED. BARKER.—At Ludiow. Yours, on Wednesday. Sept. 7, 1904. Charity Barker, aged 91 years \$

months 22 days. Funeral services at the residence of her son. Wil-liam H. Barker, 5 Fairneld, place, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery. GOUCH.-On Sept. 7, 1904, at Yonkers. Y.

Eliza Graham Gouch, in her 73d year. Funeral services will be held at her late resi-dence, 98 South Broadway, on Priday Sept. 8, at 2:00 P. M.

LLOYD.-Died at Ridgefield, Conn., Sept. 7, 1904. Grace M. Hinckley, wife of Dr. T. Mortimer Lloyd of 125 Pierrepont at., Brooklyn, N. V. Funeral services at 2:30 P. M., Friday, at Ridge-

field. Interment at the convenience of the ROWLAND .- At New Haven, Conn., on the Sta inst., Frederick Rowland, in the fist year of his age, son of the late George Rowland, P.S., and Jane C. Rowland of that city. Funeral services will occur at St. Paul's Epis

copal Church at New Haven, corner of Chapel and Olive sts., Monday afternoon, the 121a inst., at 5 o'clock. Burial at Grove St. Ceme Relatives and friends are respectfully CEMETERIES.

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PERSONALS.

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article that "Mrs. Vermilye has contributed heart-to-heart talks" to the Bazar. The Harpers say that they don't publish that kind of talk in the Bazar, nor has Mrs. Kate Jordan Vermilye ever been among their extributers.

man House last night and threatened to shoot the motorman if he did not stop.

When Policeman Brawley came up, the man said he was a Japanese bomb and liable to go off at any moment. The policeman hit him gently, and finding that he did not explode led him off to the Tenderloin station house.

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